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In response to the Notice to File DOE Declaration dated April 3, 2001, Applicants herewith submit an executed DOE Declaration under 37 C.F.R. 1.68.

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